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FARMVILLE

The brutal assault upon Dr. White has been the absorbing thought and talk of Farmville for the past week. The beloved physician has been in all minds and hearts. His sick chamber has been made bright with flowers. His every want has been anticipated by some one or more of his legion of friends, and all that love and skill could do has been done to contribute to his comfort. The distinguished patient is improving rapidly and will soon be going it and out among the people as has been his wont for so many years, his very touch having healing in it, his presence being a benediction.

The forty and more new girls at the Normal State become acclimated, and side by side with the old girls are taking advantage of the splendid opportunities which Miss Virginia has provided for them.

The office of the Postal Telegraph Company is still located at the Tidewater & Western depot, and so long as this is so it cannot be reckoned as a formidable competition of the Western Union. Telephone being too far removed from that busy centre of trade.

Location in towns and cities is of prime importance and this is as true of Farmville as elsewhere.

Our country friends have been filling their ice-houses and this is well.

Eggs are cheap and this is good.

Salad is coming to the front and this is better.

Timber lands are booming in Lunenburg. There are valuable areas of rich land in southwest Prince Edward, and with the completion of the Orange and Keysville road there will be another boom in timber lands.

We have an occasional snail in market, but so far "none but the rich" can afford the luxury.

Rev. Mr. Graham, pastor of the Presbyterian church, has been preaching a series of sermons at Hampden Sidney.

At one time it was thought a wood famine was at his door-step. Little Lucy Ann Bugg, of Buckingham, has been in some one or more of his region